Tent Permit Checklist

Plans submitted and approved by Raleigh Office		Approved use of Butanes for warming foods.
of the Fire Marshal.		Heating/cooking equipment 10' of
(Site Plan, Flame Certificates, seating plan)		exits/combustibles
Other Permits if applicable. (ex. Carnival/Fairs)		Cooking tents separated by 20 feet.
Adequate Fire Truck Access Provided.		Outdoor cooking not within 20 feet.
(Minimum 20ft. Fire Lane)		Approved LP Gas cooking equipment
Proper Placement of Tent(s) from buildings,		LP Gas containers 500 gal. or less minimum 10ft.
 property lines, roadways.		from tent/structure.
Any tents with connecting corridors, exits		LP Gas containers >500 gal. Minimum 25ft. from
provided on each end of the corridor.		tent/structure.
Unobstructed 12ft. fire break provided from		Methods to prevent tampering and
each tent, canopy, air-supported structure.		unauthorized movement of LP Gas containers,
Adequately roped, braced and anchored to		piping and valves.
withstand weather and collapsing.		No flammable liquids equipment in tents, unless
Proper number of exits provided based upon		properly permitted by fire official.
 occupant load.		Flammable liquids stored 50 feet from tents.
Occupant load determined by fire official and		No refueling within 20 feet of tents.
 posted.		Generators separated from tents by 20 feet.
Exit doors shall swing in the direction of egress		Fire-watch – Standby personnel required by the
 travel.		fire official.
Aisle widths maintained.		Combustible vegetation removed from within 30
Exit signs provided (two means of egress if		feet.
 greater than 300 occupants)		Floor and area within 30ft. clear of combustible
Emergency lighting provided for exits as		waste.
 required.		VEHICLES ON DISPLAY – SPECIAL PERMIT
Fire retardant certificate(s) on tent, sides, and		Batteries disconnected
 other materials required		No fueling or refueling inside tent structure. No
Combustible materials (hay, pine-straw, etc.)		Fuel System Leaks
 prohibited.		Maximum fuel tank level ¼ of tank capacity or 5
No smoking permitted in tents/canopies or		gallons whichever is less.
membrane structures. Approved "No Smoking"		Tank openings locked and sealed.
signs posted.		Vehicles do not obstruct the means of egress.
No open flame devices, flammable/comb.		CNG or LP-Gas vehicles inside assembly?
Liquids, gas, charcoal within 20 feet.		AIR-SUPPORTED STRUCTURES
Adequate Fire Extinguishers (min. 2A:10BC		Approved method of anchoring.
extinguishers required for 400-1000 square feet,		Minimum of 2 blowers provided and
provide one additional extinguishers for each		maintained.
2000 square feet)		Auxiliary power for assembly use >200
Approved heating/cooking equipment.	_	occupants.